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BIRTH.

At Shanghai, on the 17th February, the wife of William Richard Charles, H.B.M. Consul at China, of a son.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, FEBRUARY 18TH, 1889.

In a leading article on the Indian Post Office our Shanghai morning contemporary expresses a regret that the community "did not assist Sir ROBERT HART in his endeavours to establish a Government Post Office in China," because "it would not only be a great advantage to Shanghai" to have the present superiority of post offices swept away, but when we recommend China to place, say, the collection of her revenue in the hands of a foreign establishment like the Customs we are open to the retort that when it was proposed to place the postal system in the hands of the Chinese foreign service, we discouraged it." It was, generally believed that the proposal in question had died, three years or more ago, a natural death, but as our contemporary goes on to inform us, that Sir R. Hart, has postponed it, not abandoned it, discussion of its merits will perhaps be not purely academic. There are many points of view from which it can be, and has been, regarded. We need now only concern ourselves with three: that of the foreign residents in China, that of our fellow residents here, and lastly that of the Hongkong Government. In the same number of the *N. C. Herald* we contains the article to which we are referring, appears "A Stranger's" observations on what he is pleased to tell, for no reason that we can discover, Hang-on-the-Mid. He [or was it she?] has a paragraph on the diversities of the Shanghai postal arrangements, in which it is pointed out that "you can send a letter to England through the French Post Office for 7 cents whereas it would cost you 10 cents if posted in the British Post Office." And again, "a letter to Hongkong would cost 7 cents through the French but only 5 by the British Post Office." And yet again, "another little peculiarity is that there is apparently nothing to pay for local letters." (A Stranger is a little at sea in this last statement since some postage, if very little, is paid, directly or indirectly, on letters sent through the Local Post Office, but for the purposes of the present argument he may be taken as exact.) Now it appears to us that such a state of things is by no means a disadvantage, as "our" contemporary would make out, but, as far as the residents are concerned, an unmixed advantage. Suppose there were but one Post Office in Shanghai. If it was the British a resident could indeed send his letter to Hongkong for five cents, but he would certainly not get it sent (except surreptitiously) to England for

ten. If it was the French, he could get his letter carried to England for seven cents, it is true, but then he would have to pay seven cents if it went to Hongkong, and he would be charged considerably more than nothing for his local letters. As things are he has a wide choice, and if less patriotic than wise, goes in each case to the Post Office which offers the lower terms. Then again (and this concerns ourselves) if there had been no French Post Office with its seven cent rate, what would the patriotic Mr. HENRY HEATON have had for his denunciation of postal anomalies out here? and his claim (which is our claim) that the British rate belattered to 25 cents. Were the British post office alone in the field, it would return to this demand a calm, it is polite, non possumus—and who would be in a position to question the reply? It is really the fact that letters can be sent from Shanghai for 25 cents by the French Post Office which has rates of 10 cents, 12 cents, 14 cents, 16 cents, 18 cents, 20 cents, 22 cents, 24 cents, 26 cents, 28 cents, 30 cents, 32 cents, 34 cents, 36 cents, 38 cents, 40 cents, 42 cents, 44 cents, 46 cents, 48 cents, 50 cents, 52 cents, 54 cents, 56 cents, 58 cents, 60 cents, 62 cents, 64 cents, 66 cents, 68 cents, 70 cents, 72 cents, 74 cents, 76 cents, 78 cents, 80 cents, 82 cents, 84 cents, 86 cents, 88 cents, 90 cents, 92 cents, 94 cents, 96 cents, 98 cents, 100 cents, 102 cents, 104 cents, 106 cents, 108 cents, 110 cents, 112 cents, 114 cents, 116 cents, 118 cents, 120 cents, 122 cents, 124 cents, 126 cents, 128 cents, 130 cents, 132 cents, 134 cents, 136 cents, 138 cents, 140 cents, 142 cents, 144 cents, 146 cents, 148 cents, 150 cents, 152 cents, 154 cents, 156 cents, 158 cents, 160 cents, 162 cents, 164 cents, 166 cents, 168 cents, 170 cents, 172 cents, 174 cents, 176 cents, 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